SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

The Board of Directors

May 9th, 1927

Princeton, N. J., April 28, 1927.

The regular semi-annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Theological Seminary of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America will be held in the Old Oratory, Alexander Hall, Princeton, New Jersey, on Monday, May 9th, 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon (Daylight Saving Time).

SYLVESTER W. BEACH,

Secretary.

Princeton Theological Seminary

Princeton, N. J.

PROVISIONAL DOCKET

1. Prayer.

2. Roll Call.

3. Reading of the Minutes of October 12th, 1926, November 23d and 24th, 1926, and March 11th, 1927, if called for.

4. Report of the Secretary. Excuses, Communications.

5. Report of the Faculty. Remarks by the President of the Seminary.

6. Reports of Committees:

A. STANDING COMMITTEES:

1) Examination and Visitation, Dr. McEwan, Chairman.

2) Nominations, Dr. Robinson, Chairman.

The Committee reported at the October meeting the following nominations, to be voted upon at this meeting:

a. For members of the Board for the Class of 1930—

William L. McEwan, D.D., LL.D. ..... Pittsburgh
Ethelbert D. Warfield, D.D., LL.D., Litt.D. ..... Chambersburg, Pa.
John B. Laird, D.D. ..... Philadelphia
Francis Landey Patton, D.D., LL.D. ..... Warwick, Bermuda
W. Courtland Robinson, D.D. ..... Delhi, N. Y.
Rockwell S. Brank, D.D. ..... Summit, N. J.
Elisha H. Perkins, Esq. ..... Baltimore
John M. T. Finney, M.D. ..... Baltimore
Harvey D. Hinman, Esq. ..... Binghamton, N. Y.

Also Frank H. Stevenson, D.D., Cincinnati, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Howard Duffield, D.D.

At the adjourned meeting of the Board, November 23d, 1926, Minot C. Morgan, D.D., New York City, was nominated from the floor for the same vacancy.

b. Officers—

Maitland Alexander, D.D., LL.D., *President* ..... Pittsburgh
John B. Laird, D.D., *First Vice-President* ..... Philadelphia
Elisha H. Perkins, Esq., *Second Vice-President* ..... Baltimore
Sylvester W. Beach, D.D., *Secretary* ..... Princeton

3) Curriculum, Dr. Crane, Chairman.

4) Opening of the Seminary and Commencement Exercises, Dr. Speer, Chairman.

5) Examination and Visitation for 1927-28 (appointment of Chairman and Secretary).

B. SPECIAL COMMITTEES :

1) Students' Aid, Dr. Mudge, Chairman.

2) Faculty Pensions, Dr. Crane, Chairman.

3) Budget (To confer with the Budget Committee of the Board of Trustees), Dr. Laird, Chairman.

4) Merging the Boards (To confer with a Committee of the Board of Trustees), Dr. Robinson, Chairman.

5) Nomination of a Professor to the Chair of Homiletics, Dr. Inglis, Chairman.

6) Inauguration of Dr. Machen, Dr. Crane, Chairman.

7) Notification of Professor-Elect Robinson, Dr. McEwan, Chairman

8) Notification of Professor-Elect Allis, Dr. Hutchison, Chairman.

9) Seminary's Interests in Regard to Students, Alumni and the Church, Dr. Brank, Chairman.

10) Preparing the Memorial Volume of the late Professor Benjamin Breckinridge Warfield, D.D., LL.D., Dr. Warfield, Chairman.

11) Enlargement of the Work of the Seminary, Dr. Macartney, Chairman.

12) Library, Dr. Inglis, Chairman.

13) Young People's Conference, Dr. Inglis, Chairman.

14) Manuscripts of Professor Robert Dick Wilson, D.D., Dr. Brank, Chairman.

7. Report of the Librarian.

8. New Business.

9. Appointment of Committees by the President (Nominating Committee, etc.)

10. Reading of the Minutes.

11. Adjournment with Prayer.

The Board will re-convene Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church for deferred business, after which, in academic procession, the members of the Board and the Faculty will proceed to the auditorium where the Commencement Exercises will be held at 10:30 o'clock. Adjournment at the close of the services in the Church.

NOTE. "Any Director who shall be absent from three consecutive meetings of the Board, without the assignment in writing of reasons satisfactory to the Board, shall be regarded as having vacated his seat." (By-laws Sec. 1, Art. 2.)

☞ Excuses for absence should be sent to the Secretary.

Please notify the Secretary if entertainment is desired.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT
PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
MAY, 1927

Sunday, May 8.	Baccalaureate Service and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, Miller Chapel	11:00 A. M.
Monday, May 9.	Meeting of the Board of Directors	2:00 P. M.
Monday, May 9.	The President's Reception at Springdale	4:30 P. M.
Tuesday, May 10.	Annual Commencement, First Church	10:30 A. M.
	Alumni Luncheon (University Gymnasium)	12:30 P. M.
Tuesday, May 10.	Meeting of the Board of Trustees	3:00 P. M.

(Daylight Saving Time)

COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD

STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Examination and Visitation

Class of 1927

Committee on Curriculum

Ministers

Crane
Laird
Burrell

Elders

Finney
Perkins

Committee on Nominations (to Membership in the Board and Officers)

Ministers

Robinson
McEwan
Macartney

Elders

Nichols
Hinman

Committee on the Opening of the Seminary and Commencement Exercises

Ministers

Wilson (Faculty)
Stevenson
Beach

Elders

Speer (Chairman)
Manson

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Committee on Students' Aid (Scholarships)

Minister

Mudge

Elder

Manson

Committee on Faculty Pensions (to confer with Committee of the Board of Trustees)

Ministers

Crane
Dickson

Elders

Perkins
Marsh
Hodge

Committee to Confer with the Budget Committee of the Board of Trustees

Minister

Laird

Elders

Marsh
Nichols

Committee to Confer with Committee of the Board of Trustees on Merging the Boards

Ministers

Robinson
Mudge

Elder

Nichols

Committee on Nomination of a Professor to the Chair of Homiletics

Ministers

Inglis
Brank
Warfield

Elders

Manson
Hodge

Committee on Inauguration of Dr. Machen

Ministers

Crane
Warfield
Laird

Committee on Notification of Professor-Elect Robinson

Ministers

McEwan
Laird

Elder

Hodge

Committee on Notification of Professor-Elect Allis

Ministers

Hutchison
Macartney

Elder

Hinman

Committee on the Seminary's Interests in Regard to Students, Alumni and the Church

Ministers

Brank
Inglis
Warfield
Laird

Elders

Perkins
Marsh

Committee on Preparing the Memorial Volume of the late Professor Benjamin Breckinridge Warfield, D.D., LL.D.

Ministers

Warfield

Hodge (Faculty)
Armstrong (Faculty)

Committee on Enlargement of the Work of the Seminary

Ministers

Macartney
Alexander (Maitland)
Speer

Elders

Nichols
Bruce

Committee on Library

Ministers

Inglis
Laird

Elder

Nichols

Committee on Young People's Conference

Ministers

Inglis
Warfield
Burrell

Elders

Brank
Dickson

Committee on Manuscripts of Professor Wilson

Ministers

Brank
Mudge

Elder

Hinman

Committee on Vacancy in the Chair of Dogmatic Theology

Ministers

Laird
Stevenson
Crane

Elders

Nichols
Perkins

PERRY S. ALLEN, PRESIDENT

Presbyterian Ministers' Fund
LIFE INSURANCE

1805-07 WALNUT STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

ORGANIZED 1717
INCORPORATED 1759

March 8th, 1927.

Rev. W. Courtland Robinson,
Delhi, New York.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

We have your letter of 3/5/27 together with policy #6628 and have noted your selection of Option #2 in settlement of same.

Enclosed please find voucher which you will kindly sign "W. Courtland Robinson," and upon receipt of same we will on date of 3/29/27 make prompt settlement, sending you check for $2323.10.

Very sincerely yours,

Perry S. Allen
President.

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PERRY S. ALLEN, PRESIDENT

Presbyterian Ministers' Fund
LIFE INSURANCE

1805-07 WALNUT STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

ORGANIZED 1717
INCORPORATED 1759

February 18,1927

Rev. W. C. Robinson,
Delhi, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

We beg to call attention to policy #6628, bearing date of 3/29/1892 and maturing 3/29/27 with following options of settlement:

(1) To withdraw accumulations guaranteed in policy $674 plus dividends $323.10, total $997.10, and have policy endorsed as full-paid life policy for $2000.

(2) To withdraw cash value of policy $2000 plus dividends $323.10, total $2323.10, involving cancelation of policy.

(3) To have policy endorsed as full-paid life policy for $3000 and use dividends to purchase additional insurance in amount $487, making total protection of policy $3487. This option requires medical examination for which the Fund becomes financially responsible.

(4) To withdraw dividends in cash $323.10 and use proceeds of policy to purchase annuity of $208, first annuity payable one year from anniversary and annually thereafter during your life time.

Awaiting your advice, we are

Very sincerely yours,

MR

Perry S. Allen
President

Assembly Auditorium—San Francisco

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San Francisco, Calif.

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Visit Mission Fields

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SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Breakfast, luncheon and dinner at the hotel. After breakfast four hour automobile tour starting from the hotel will be provided which will include Garden of the Gods, South Cheyenne Canyon, Seven Falls, Cave of the Winds, etc., returning to the hotel in time for luncheon. During the afternoon those who wish may make the trip to Pikes Peak at individual expense, returning to the hotel in time for dinner.

Lv. Colorado Springs—6:30 P. M. D. & R. G.

Ar. Denver—8:50 P. M.
Transfer to hotel, where room and bath will be provided.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

The morning is left open for church services. After luncheon, four hour automobile tour will be provided, including Golden, Sunset Mountain, Bear Creek Canyon, etc. A stop will be made at the grave of "Buffalo Bill." (The cost of this sightseeing trip will be refunded to any who may not care to take it.)

Lv. Denver—9:00 P. M. U. Pac.

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Enroute through Eastern Colorado and Kansas, with a view from the train of the famous granary of America. Breakfast and luncheon in the diner.

Ar. Kansas City—4:00 P. M.
Dinner at Harvey Restaurant, Union Station.

Lv. Kansas City—8:30 P. M. C. & A.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

Ar. Springfield, Ill.—6:00 A. M.
Train will be parked at this point.
Breakfast at the Jefferson Hotel, adjacent to the station. About 9:00 A. M. automobiles will be provided for the trip to Lincoln's grave and memorial, time being permitted to visit his residence, which has been converted into a Lincoln Museum.

Lv. Springfield—11:40 A. M. C. & A.
Luncheon on the train.

Ar. Chicago—4:30 P. M.
Transfer to La Salle Hotel for dinner, the evening hours being open for sightseeing, etc.

Lv. Chicago—11:15 P. M. Wabash

Yosemite National Park

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

Ar. Detroit—7:15 A. M.
Automobiles to Book-Cadillac Hotel for breakfast and luncheon. During the forenoon a motor trip through residential Detroit, including Belle Isle, visit at Ford Plant, etc. Afternoon free. Leave Hotel 4:30 P. M.

Lv. Detroit—5:00 P. M. D. & C. Str.
Dinner aboard steamer. Outside staterooms provided, two persons per room.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

Breakfast aboard steamer.

Ar. Buffalo—8:30 A. M.
Hand baggage will be taken in charge by conductor of the party and will remain at the Lackawanna Station during the day. Special street cars will convey party from the steamer dock direct to Niagara Falls. Luncheon and dinner at the hotel. Immediately after arrival, party will be conducted in special car over the famous Gorge Line trip. Afternoon and evening free for individual sightseeing, time being permitted for a view of the illumination of the Falls at night.

Lv. Niagara Falls—10:15 P. M. Special street cars.

Ar. Lackawanna Station—11:15 P. M.

Lv. Lackawanna Station—11:30 P. M.
Hand baggage will be found aboard the train. Breakfast on the train.

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

Ar. Hoboken—9:35 A. M.

ATTENTION DELEGATES EVANGELISTIC CONFERENCE

Special arrangements have been made with the railroads interested for those who desire to attend the Evangelistic Conference opening at San Francisco, May 24th. All such persons may accompany the tour on our special train to Omaha, where their sleepers will be attached to a fast transcontinental train arriving San Francisco 2:30 P. M., Tuesday, May 24th. Automobiles will be waiting at the depot to take the party direct to the conference and deliver their baggage at the hotel.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Why you should join this Tour It gives opportunity to attend a Great Assembly, see the mission fields and the scenic wonders of our country at a price much less than the trip can be made under your own guidance. You are relieved of the anxiety and troubles of the independent traveller, all details connected with your trip are arranged in advance and are carefully carried out by the representative with the party. The entire Presbyterian Church West of the Rockies is planning your reception and entertainment. Service en route and contact with our missionaries will be a great spiritual uplift and the means of deepening and quickening interest in church work.

Railway Tickets Coupons If the rates given in the folder do not apply to your home town write for information. Tickets and coupons for all meals, transfers, side trips, etc., will be supplied bound in a handy folder so that only a minimum amount of cash need be carried. If for any reason you cannot communicate with this office take this folder to the local agent and ask him to route you according to the itinerary. Return route of tickets cannot be changed in California except at sacrifice of reduction allowed by round trip fare. Ministers east of Chicago will receive reduction if provided with clergy permit. Write for rate.

Meals All meals served in dining cars or hotels except in San Francisco will be served on the table d'hote plan. The cost of which is included in the tour charge. Coupons for payment will be supplied with regular ticket.

Baggage Heavy baggage should be checked to San Francisco subject to your care and carriage. Hand grips will be transferred to hotels when necessary free of charge. All baggage must be carefully marked with tags that will be supplied with the ticket.

Clothing Many persons visiting the Pacific coast for the first time do not take the necessary precaution to provide warm clothing. Nights are cool and in the daytime wraps are sometimes necessary.

Reservation and Payment Reservation in the pullman will be made in the order of receipt of application and initial deposit. In order that the necessary number of sleeping cars may be provided it is essential that the conductor know as soon as possible the number of persons to provide for. Your reservation should be made at once and in making pullman reservation please state what space is desired.

First payment 10% at time of booking. Final payment three weeks before departure.

Cost In order to be certain of the exact amount it is best to write for quotations. We give on next page rates that will apply:

Detroit, Michigan

We give below rates that will apply:

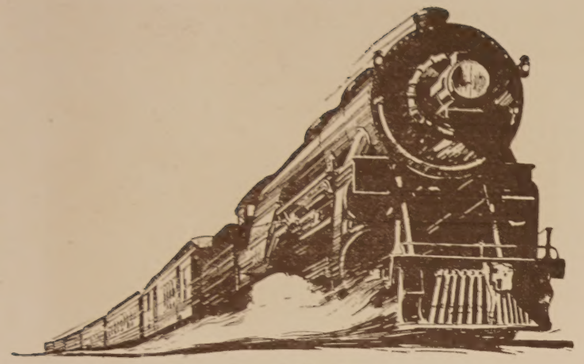
RATES

All Expense Rate per Person, New York to San Francisco and Return, Including all Expenses Except Meals in San Francisco and Gratuities	New York, N.Y. and Newark, N. J.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Trenton, N. J.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Chicago, Ill.	Omaha, Nebr., Returning to Kansas City, Mo.
Two persons occupying one lower berth.....each person	$386	$386	$386	$357	$304	$273
One person occupying upper berth	418	418	418	386	328	294
One person occupying lower berth.	437	437	437	404	344	307
Two persons occupying compartment.....each person	478	478	478	442	378	335
Three persons occupying drawing room.....each person	455	455	455	420	360	319
Two persons occupying drawing room.....each person	515	515	515	475	405	358

Those who for various reasons are unable to travel with the party on the Westward trip are welcome to join at San Francisco for the return journey. The rates set forth below, include every item of expense on the Homeward trip except **railroad fare.** Those who wish to avail themselves of this arrangement must be careful to specify at the time original ticket is purchased that the return coupons read by the following route, to the point of leaving the party:

Southern Pacific R.R., San Francisco to Los Angeles.
Union Pacific R.R., Los Angeles to Salt Lake.
D. & R. G. R. R., Salt Lake to Denver.
Union Pacific R. R., Denver to Kansas City.
Chicago and Alton R.R., Kansas City to Chicago.
Wabash R.R., Chicago to Buffalo.
(Accepted on steamer Detroit to Buffalo.)
Lackawanna R. R., Buffalo to New York.
Or—Lackawanna R.R., Manunka Chunk (Stroudsburg).
Pennsylvania R.R., Manunka Chunk to Trenton or Philadelphia.

San Francisco to—	New York, Newark, N. J.	Phila. Pa.	Trenton, N. J.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Chicago, Ill.	Kansas City, Mo.
Two persons occupying one lower each person	$170	$170	$170	$166	$151	$139
One person occupying one upper..	189	189	189	184	166	151
One person occupying one lower...	200	200	200	195	176	159
Two persons occupying one compartment.....each person	225	225	225	217	196	176
Three persons occupying drawing room.....each person	211	211	211	205	185	167
Two persons occupying drawing room.....each person	248	248	248	239	215	191



Our Train Enroute

WHERE TO JOIN THE PARTY

THOSE FROM NEW YORK AND VICINITY will assemble at the Lackawanna Station at Hoboken, N. J., not later than 2:00 P. M. May 20th. This station may be conveniently reached by ferries from the foot of West 23rd, Cristopher, or Barclay Streets, New York, or by the Hudson Tubes, Uptown Broadway and 33rd Street, Downtown from the Terminal Building.

THOSE JOINING ENROUTE will receive individual letter of instructions containing complete details.

Complete Itinerary By Standard Time

FRIDAY, MAY 20

Our special pullman train will leave Hoboken 2:20 P. M., (3:20 P. M. Daylight Saving Time), passing during the afternoon through the famous Pocono Mountains, the most beautiful scenic region in the eastern states. Dinner in the dining car.

SATURDAY, MAY 21

Breakfast and luncheon on the train while enroute through the rich farming section of Northern Ohio and Indiana.

Arrive Chicago—4:50 P. M.
Motor busses will convey party on a comprehensive sightseeing trip, including the famous park system with a stop at La Salle Hotel for dinner.

Leave Chicago—8:40 P. M. C. & N. W.

SUNDAY, MAY 22

Ar. Omaha—9:30 A. M.
Party will detrain and attend divine services which will be specially arranged.

Lv. Omaha—1:30 P. M. U. Pac.
Breakfast, luncheon and dinner on the train; luncheon served at 12:30 P. M.

MONDAY, MAY 23

"Out West." Enroute through Wyoming and Utah, along the old "Overland Trail." Breakfast and luncheon on the train. During the afternoon a splendid view will be afforded of the beautiful Weber River Canyon.

Logan Academy—Logan, Utah

(Monday, May 23, continued)

Ar. Ogden—4:50 P. M.
Tour of the Ogden Canyon will be provided with stop over at the Hermitage Inn, located in the Canyon, where their famous "Chicken and Mountain Trout Dinner" will be served. Retire on train, sleeping cars ready 9:30 P. M.

Lv. Ogden—11:55 P. M. U. Pac.

TUESDAY, MAY 24

Ar. Logan, Utah—7:00 A. M. U. Pac.
Breakfast and luncheon at the hotel. A visit will be made to Logan Academy, where a program of special entertainment will be provided.

Lv. Logan—2:30 P. M. U. Pac.

Ar. Ogden—4:40 P. M.

Lv. Ogden—4:00 P. M. S. Pac.
Immediately after leaving Ogden, we "Go to sea by train," crossing the Great Salt Lake via the famous Lucin Cut-off. Dinner on the train.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

Enroute through Nevada and California, crossing the Sierra Nevada Range and stopping at noon for a view from the observation platform of the magnificent American River Canyon. A short stop will also be made in the afternoon at Sacramento, the historic and interesting capital of the Golden State.

Ar. San Francisco—5:30 P. M.
Motor busses will transfer the party and hand baggage direct to hotels where rooms with bath, two persons per room, will be provided. Meals during the stay at San Francisco are not included.

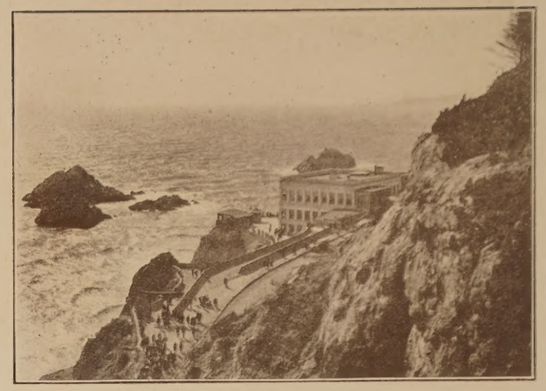
THURSDAY, MAY 26 to WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, Inc.

This period will be completely taken up with the Assembly Sessions. Special reservations will be made for members of our party for the popular evening program at the auditorium.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

This day will be left open to permit delegates and their friends to visit any of the interesting and historic points in San Francisco and vicinity which may not have been included in the Assembly program of entertainment.

Lv. San Francisco—11:40 P. M. S. Pac.
Motor busses will transfer members of the party with their hand baggage direct to the station at Oakland, where the special train will be ready for occupancy at 9:30 P. M.



Seal Rocks—San Francisco, Calif.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

Ar.—Merced—6:30 A. M.
Breakfast at the hotel.

Lv. Merced—8:00 A. M. Y. V. R.R.

Ar. El Portal—11:55 A. M.

Lv. El Portal—12:05 P. M. Motor Coach.

Ar. Yosemite Valley—1:15 P. M.
Luncheon, dinner and lodging in Yosemite Valley. Bungalows with bath, two persons each. Afternoon free for individual sightseeing. Special campfire entertainment after dinner.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

Lv. Yosemite Valley—7:45 A. M. Motor coach.

Ar. Maripossa Big Trees (Via Inspiration Point)—11:05 A. M.

Lv. Maripossa Big Trees—12:05 Noon. Motor Coach.

Ar. Miami Lodge—12:55 P. M.

Lv. Miami Lodge—2:00 P. M. S. Pac.
Breakfast in Yosemite Valley. Luncheon at Miami Lodge and dinner at Hotel Fresno. No attempt will be made here to describe the magnificence of Yosemite Valley. A booklet containing complete description and maps will be mailed upon application.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

Ar. Los Angeles—7:30 A. M.
Transfer to Clark Hotel where room with bath will be provided, two persons per room. No sightseeing provided, this day being left open for church services and rest.

MONDAY, JUNE 6

After breakfast, four hour automobile tour covering the beautiful residential section of Los Angeles, Hollywood, the home of the motion picture, Beverly Hills, Pasadena, Venice and Pacific Shore, returning to the hotel for luncheon.

(It is suggested that those who desire to visit Catalina Island, do so on Monday. The trip will be at individual expense, the cost being $5.75. This includes street car fares, steamer, luncheon on the island and a trip over the Marine Gardens in the glass-bottom boats. Members who make this trip on Monday, will be taken on the auto trip described above, Tuesday morning.) In the evening meeting and services with the Mexican Mission Workers.

Courtesy Union Pacific System

Pershing Square—Los Angeles, Calif.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Day open for individual sightseeing, shopping, etc.

Lv. Los Angeles—4:00 P. M. U. Pac.

Ar. Riverside—5:50 P. M.
Dinner at the world-famous Mission Inn Hotel, transfers to and from the station being provided by motor bus. A special musical program will be provided in the chapel with tour of the caverns and inspection of the art gallery after dinner.

Lv. Riverside—11:50 P. M. U. Pac.
Sleepers ready 9:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

Enroute through California, Nevada and Utah, passing through the heart of the Mojave Desert during the day. Breakfast, luncheon and dinner in the dining car.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Ar. Salt Lake City—7:A. M.
Transfer to hotel Utah for breakfast and luncheon.
In the forenoon, an automobile tour of Salt Lake City with special stop at Westminster College, arriving at the Mormon Tabernacle in time for the organ recital at noon. In the afternoon, special street cars will be provided for the trip to Saltaire Beach on the shores of Great Salt Lake, where those who wish, may enjoy the experience of bathing in water in which one cannot sink. Dinner at Saltaire Pavilion, after which special street cars will return to Salt Lake City.

Lv. Salt Lake City—8:30 P. M. D. & R. G.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Ar. Glenwood Springs—9:00 A. M.
Stop of one hour and thirty minutes will be made at this beautiful summer resort in the heart of the Colorado Rockies. An open air natural hot springs bathing pool is available.

Lv. Glenwood Springs—10:30 A. M.
During this entire day we are enroute through the most magnificent mountain scenery in the world, passing in the afternoon through the famous Royal Gorge, where a special stop will be arranged at the observation platform.

Ar. Colorado Springs—11:00 P. M.
Transfer to Antlers Hotel, where room with bath will be provided.

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PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY TOUR

TO

SAN FRANCISCO AND RETURN

W. R. PATTERSON, CONDUCTOR
156 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK, N. Y.

February 9, 1927.

Rev. W. C. Robinson, D.D.
Delhi, New York.

Dear Doctor Robinson:

Replying to your request for information as to the cost of our General Assembly Tour from Binghamton, New York, I have to advise you that after making deductions for your clergy certificate to Chicago and the meals that you would not receive in that you left Delhi and joined at Binghamton, the rates for yourself and wife would be as follows:

Two in a lower berth $731.85

Two in a Compartment..... 912.85

Two in a drawing room..... 986.85

I sincerely trust that you may be able to join the Tour and take with you some of the membership of your Church. We feel that by so doing you would perform a real service. The National Board is cooperating in every way. We visit all scenic points. Our accommodations are the best. It will be many years before there is another opportunity to travel with such a Presbyterian group to so unique an Assembly under such delightful conditions. Your reservation should be made at the earliest possible date so that you may be comfortably located in our Pullmans. Refund will be made if for any reason you cannot go.

Kindly let me hear from you.

Very sincerely yours,

W. R. Patterson

W. R. Patterson.

WRP.HD

Potsdam. N.Y.
Feb. 5 - 1927.

My dearest Friends. -

Your letter just came and I enjoyed it. I thought you would get a good letter from Mrs. Rufus. She said she was going to write you and she is very obsessing and always tells things as they are. She was right in saying that you developed workers. The same workers are doing the work now and taking all the responsibility. She and I feel much the same toward the man now in charge. - To me he seems superficial, but I don't know. I don't care for the type anyway.

But you trained us so well, we go right on working and doing our share. He is especially fond of young girls, and young women, particularly Sadie and Mrs. Edwin Safford. But it is all right. No one can blame him. The Men's League entertain the women of the Church at a covered dish supper Monday night. Mr. Prout asked me if I wouldn't go with his family. I declined, with thanks. Having no men of my own, I do not care to go, and I couldn't enter into it anyway.

Presbytery meets here Apr. 18th & 19th. My work is to assist Mr. Prout in correspondence and placing people in homes for entertainment. Of course, there will be plenty of other things to do, too. I always get my share and I am glad to do it.

Mrs. Rufus left for New York Tuesday night. Ruth was to join her there for a week and then they will return to Chapel Hill. Mr. Rufus will go down the last week in Feb.

Grace Sisson feels so much better, she has decided to go south - Florida I guess, eventually. We are having pretty stiff

weather just now. 18° below last night. Miss Whitney, Mrs. Claflin's sister, and I had dinner at the Arlington last night. then went to the Rialto to see Douglas Fairbanks. I never miss him if I can help it. The house was crowded. Mrs. George Jr. and her chauffer not very bade.

Tuesday morning, I think it was when I was on Main St. in front of Poludam Feed and Coal Co. office, I crossed the street to Mayfields. When I came back, a young man came out of the Coal office and

grasping my hand said.
"Now you won't know me
from Adam". I recognized
him as Richard Gemmel
after a second, but before
I could speak his name.
he told me. Said he recog-
nized me when I crossed the
street first and asked Mr.
Jones if it were I. He wouldn't
be a good looking chap if his
eyes were normal, and he
certainly is friendly & nice.
I thought it good of him to
speak to me. He said that
Katherine is studying voice
in N.Y. steel. Or her uncle

still paying the bills after their trouble you wrote me of? What has become of the man who wanted to marry Lou and is the brother-in-law still living? I'd like to see Lou. How times have changed for her and for all of us, in fact.

Fine that Stewart can probably have the chair of Church History in Louisville - It surely would be much easier and the climate more pleasant. How about the salary?

Mr. Frelick went to Raybrook for examination this week. His case is arrested and he is much better - but how hard to have it still hanging about one - They return to Schenectady March 1st, but I think he does not expect to preach until next fall.

You don't need to worry about keeping your church people. You know how, and all this social business in church is a draw back in the end. Why don't men cling to the good old pulpit method? Because they cannot preach I suspect. You are all right, Parson Rob. As Bill Henry or was it Mrs. H. once said "God made Mr. Robinson

and then lost the pattern. She never could make another equal to you. What finer compliment than that could one wish? Much love — S. P.

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December 7, 1926.

Rev. W. C. Robinson,

Delhi, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Robinson:

After the two meetings Monday night at Delhi and Cooperstown, Mr. George Robinson and I held a conference in the Oneonta Hotel. He tells me there was not a man from your church present at the Delhi meeting, and I also find that there has never been a list of committeemen sent in to the office here, though Mr. Mable's name was sent to us as Chairman of such a committee.

I am sure that you as a minister must be familiar with the plans of the New Pension Service, and, as a minister in the great Presbyterian Denomination, must feel duty bound to have your Church at least help in the $15,000,000 fund now being raised. And as pastor of one of the largest churches in the Otsego Presbytery which has agreed to raise $25,000 toward this fund, I know you will regret it very much if your Church fails to do its part.

I certainly trust I am mistaken in assuming there has not been much solicitation of members of your church. The list of forty prospective contributors sent us has been circularized with pamphlets pertaining to this plan, and must be wondering why they have not been called on for their subscription. The time is nearly here when we close the campaign in your Presbytery. As you must know we hold our final report meeting in the Oneonta Church next Tuesday, December 14th at 12:15 P.M. That leaves only a few days for your committee to call on these forty prospects.

The Second Church of Delhi have already secured pledges amounting to $980.00 and are not nearly

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finished. I feel sure that if the First Church of Delhi will only put their shoulders to the wheel, they will not fall behind when the final reports are given next Tuesday. But it means an effort on your part, Mr. Robinson, and we are depending on you. If you or Mr. Mable will call us on the phone (reversing charges) and give us the names of your committee, we will immediately send them literature concerning thie Pension Plan. But at this late date it means "Hurry".

Your Presbytery has adopted the slogan "It Can Be Done". All things are possible when working for Christ, and I know you and your Church will live up to the Presbytery slogan.

Yours most sincerely,

W. S. McClenahan

Field Representative of
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June 4, 1926

My dear Doctor Robinson;

I am reminded by Mr Haynes, of the Pension Board, that our church is delinquest in adopting the Pension Plan . I did not really need his reminder for I have had the matter in mind for a considerable time : but as you perhaps know I have been away for a couple of months this winter and simply have not gotten around to it . Would it be possible for you to come up to Cooperstown sometime in the near future and speak to the our people in regard to it ?

I suppose the matter should be acted on at a congregational meeting. Perhaps this all could be all finished up at your visit. With very good wishes ,

Very sincerely yours

Edward C Petrie

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(4) To withdraw dividends in cash $156.44 and use proceeds of policy to purchase annuity of $93, first annuity payable one year from anniversary and annually thereafter during your life time.

Awaiting your advice, we are

Very sincerely yours,

MR

Perry S. Allen

President